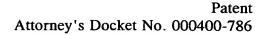
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the following information is brought to the Examiner's attention.

Japanese Utility Model Laid-Open No. 56-35407. A partial English-language translation of this document is enclosed.

Japanese Utility Model Laid-Open No. 4-243. A partial English-language translation of this document is enclosed.

Japanese Utility Model Laid-Open No. 2-33709. A partial English-language translation of this document is enclosed.

Japanese Patent Laid-Open No. 2-85010. A partial English-language translation of this document is enclosed.

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Japanese Patent Laid-Open No. 4-45365. A partial English-translation of this

document is enclosed.

Japanese Patent Laid-Open No. 10-297274. A copy of corresponding U.S. Patent

No. 5,924,766 was cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on March 9, 2001.

An additional copy of U.S. Patent No. 5,924,766 is also enclosed herewith for the

Examiner's convenience.

To assist the Examiner in entering the foregoing information into the record, the

above-noted documents are cited on the attached form PTO-1449 and copies of the

documents are enclosed.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the foregoing information and to

acknowledge such consideration by initialling, signing and returning the enclosed additional

copy of form PTO-1449.

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